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FEDERATION OF LABOR SESSION

OPENING OF ANNUAL SESSION OF AMERICAN BODY AT SAN FRANCISCO YESTERDAY.

ADDRESS OF GOMPERS

Great Labor Leader Says He Sees Much That Is Encouraging in Headway Organized Labor Is Making. Counsel Dignity and Courage at All Times.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—The American Federation of Labor met today in Lyric Hall in its twenty-fourth annual convention. Delegates from every part of the U. S. and representatives from Porto Rico, England and Canada were present.

The hall was beautifully decorated in the national colors, and the delegates were seated in sections according to the states they represented. The entire time of the morning session was taken up with the delivery and reply to speeches of welcome. The afternoon session was opened with the reading by President Samuel Gompers, amid great applause, of his annual address. It was as follows:

Fellow Trade Unionists: Another year in the annals of organized labor has come and gone; a year filled with momentous events for us all. The cycles of time which roll so swiftly by and which are so infinitesimal when counted in connection with the history and development of the human race, find the people confronting new conditions and new problems. The past has been fraught with pain and travail; it has been an unarticulate yearning and a constant struggle for new light and the realization of new hopes.

From the dark days of slavery and serfdom to the era of wage-labor was in itself a great progress; the entrance of the wage earners into the realm of the larger, broader, and brighter vision of associated effort, has been fraught with achievements commanding the admiration and the wonder of students and observers. Dispute it as you may, we are conscious, and history will accord us the credit, of being the natural and rational crystallized effort of the masses to abolish wrong and injustice; to attain justice and right by the most peaceful, evolutionary and humane method.

The immediate future is pregnant with good or ill for the people of our country. It devolves upon the organized labor movement to determine by its course the form which it shall assume.

The constant improvement in machinery, the division of labor, the wonderful development in industry, and the concentration of wealth, give to the wealth possessors such extraordinary power, which, when coupled with the cunning and greed for gain, unless intelligently and comprehensively met by a well-organized labor movement, will tend to the deterioration of our race, the destruction of all our achievements, and the dissipation of all our hopes.

On the other hand, if we are faithful to the history and traditions of the struggling masses in the past, if we shall prove true to the interests and welfare of the hosts of labor of our day, the powers calculated to injure will be diverted to the common weal, and thus open up vistas of larger opportunities and a broader conception of human rights and ennobling aspirations.

As the course of enlightenment and liberty wends its way westward, so the American Federation of Labor brings its host of enlightened and liberty-loving exponents to the entrance of the Golden Gate there not only to stand guard against any threatening foe, but to pledge anew its unflinching devotion to the uplifting cause of all our people.

From workshop, factory, mill and mine comes the appeal to you for comfort, aid, and relief. The yearning cry of the children of labor for emancipation from the drudgery of incessant toil to the freedom of home, the playground, and the sunshine is not heard in vain by you. The sufferings of the past, the struggles of today, and the hopes for a brighter and a better day for all are represented by the united and federated labor movement of our time and of our country.

While the eyes and hearts of our fellow workers are fervently turned toward this convention, hopeful and confident that the broadest and best interests of the working people will be safe-

FIGHT TO BITTER END

WASHINGTON, NOV. 14.—"RUSSIA WILL PURSUE THE WAR IN THE FAR EAST TO THE BITTER END; THAT IS, UNTIL RUSSIA HAS CONQUERED." THESE ARE THE OPENING WORDS OF AN EMPHATIC STATEMENT MADE BY COUNT CASSINI AT THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY TODAY. SEVERAL TIMES RECENTLY THE AMBASSADOR, IN THE NAME OF HIS GOVERNMENT, HAS CATEGORICALLY DENIED THE POSSIBILITY OF ANY INTERVENTION IN THE WAR, BUT THE RECURRENCE OF RUMORS THAT THE POWERS CONTEMPLATED MEDIATION HAS CAUSED THE AMBASSADOR TO REITERATE ON BEHALF OF HIS GOVERNMENT ITS POSITION REGARDING INTERVENTION OR MEDIATION OF ANY KIND.

THE STATEMENT CONTINUES: "I DEEM IT MY DUTY TO REITERATE WHAT I HAVE SO OFTEN SAID, THAT RUSSIA WILL NOT SUSPEND IN ANY CASE HER MILITARY OPERATIONS IN THE FAR EAST. RUSSIA CAN NO MORE ADMIT OF INTERFERENCE THAN GREAT BRITAIN COULD IN THE TRANSVAAL, OR COULD THE U. S. IN HER WAR WITH SPAIN. WHERE THE QUESTION OF PRESTIGE OF THE COUNTRY IS AT STAKE, ALL OTHER CONSIDERATIONS ARE AND MUST BE PUT ASIDE.

"SOME PEOPLE MAY THINK THAT FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES MAY INFLUENCE RUSSIA, BUT SUCH AN OPINION IS BASED ON FALSE ASSUMPTION OF RUSSIA'S FINANCIAL RESOURCES."

Much Talk of Reorganization

W. J. BRYAN'S NAME FIGURES MOST PROMINENT.

National Committeeman From New York Says Result Means Return of Bryan to Leadership.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—"Reorganization?" That one word was the keynote of scores of private conferences held by local Democratic leaders today.

In all such councils the name of William Jennings Bryan received frequent and usually favorable mention.

The acceptor of Democracy, it is claimed, should again come to the West; and the faction of radicals again have voice in the party.

The local Democrats were willing to look to Bryan for leadership, or admit his word would have great weight with the party in the future.

The first move of reorganizing the Democratic party will be to take counsel with the Southern leaders.

Democratic leaders are the more eager to get about the work of reorganization by reason of the large vote cast by the socialists.

Mayor Harrison said: "Three things beat us: The Democrats who were sore and stayed at home; the Democrats who were sore and voted for Roosevelt; and the Democrats who were disgruntled and voted for Debs."

ACTRESS DROWNED IN SURF AT SAN DIEGO.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 14.—While bathing in the surf near this city this afternoon Miss Isidore Rush, leading lady in "Glittering Gloria," was caught by an immense wave and carried into deep water. Assistance was at once hurried to her, but she was unconscious when brought to shore. All efforts to resuscitate the woman proved unsuccessful.

Another member of the company, Milton Heriot, who attempted to rescue his companion was rendered unconscious in the attempt, and was only revived after vigorous treatment.

SHOCK FOR THE POPE.

Rome, Nov. 14.—Cardinal Meconi, who was administrator of the apostolic palace under Pope Leo XII, died at the Vatican of paralysis while consistory was in progress today. Dr. Lippolli, who attended the Cardinal until the last, went to the apartment of the Pope to prepare him for the news, fearing that it might have a bad effect on him.

The Pontiff has not yet quite recovered from his recent illness.

Guarded and forwarded, the scrutinizing vision of our opponents and antagonists is concentrated upon our gathering and our work, ready to turn to our disadvantage and discomfiture any error of judgment and speech and action. May we not hope so to conform our course as to satisfy and gratify our friends and confound and disarm our would-be despoilers?

With an abiding faith in the justice and nobility of the cause with which we have the honor to be associated, with confidence fortified by a lifetime's experience, there are no misgivings in my heart or mind that this convention of the American Federation of Labor will do much to darken the horizon of labor's future or in the least to halt in the movement for labor's disenfranchisement. In that faith, in that confidence, in that hope, it is my proud privilege to welcome you to this gathering of labor's hosts at San Francisco in the convention of the American Federation of Labor.

Tom Taggart Talks Plain

HAS NO APOLOGIES TO SUBMIT AFTER FIGHT.

Returns to New York the Same as He Left It—A Democrat—Nothing Could Have Stopped the Republican Cyclone.

New York, Nov. 14.—Thomas Taggart, chairman of the Democratic national committee, in a statement today says: "I returned to New York the same as I left it—a Democrat. No man, no policy, no platform would have stopped the cyclone of Roosevelt. There is no accounting for cyclones. Neither party expected it. The utmost harmony exists among the members of the committee, and there is no need of reorganization. There are no heartburnings, and no recriminations, except the general regret of defeat."

"I have no intention of resigning. The national headquarters will be at Indianapolis."

"It is too early yet to talk of politics, policies or Presidential possibilities four years hence."

Major Lavelle Passes Away

DIED SUNDAY EVENING FROM INJURIES SUSTAINED ON THE LOWELL ROAD.

Struggle Had Been Hopeless for Several Days, Though Full Extent of Injuries Did Not Develop Until Sunday. Funeral This Afternoon.

After a hopeless struggle of several days duration, Major Lavelle died Sunday evening about 6 o'clock at the C. & A. hospital. His condition had been such as to remove hope of recovery for twenty-four hours previous to his death.

The deceased was hurt about the head on Wednesday of last week in a runaway near Lowell. At the immediate time it was not believed that the injuries sustained would prove of serious nature. It developed shortly, however, that the brain had been affected, and failure of the injured man to rouse from the torpor in which he was picked up from the road at once put a serious aspect upon the case.

Immediate diagnosis of the extent of the injuries suffered was impossible, time being required to develop these. When development in full came an operation was found necessary that the condition of the man precluded, the surgeons being convinced that without the preparation of the patient that had been impossible the operation could not but prove fatal.

The deceased was about 55 years of age. For over a year he had been a well known figure at the Annex, and numbered warm friends, made by general, kindly ways, throughout the city. A wife and sister, with other relatives, survive him in Louisiana, of which state he was a native. The funeral will occur this afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the Palace Undertaking Parlor, under the auspices of the Order of Eagles and Red Men of this city.

W. A. Clark Passes Benton—W. A. Clark, Senator from Montana, passed through Benson yesterday morning en route East. From one who conversed with the senator the Review learns that he was greatly disappointed at the result of the election in Montana, which he was certain would be placed in the Democratic column.

Ugly Rumor About Hanson

HIS WHEREABOUTS ARE AT PRESENT UNKNOWN, WHICH IS CAUSING ANXIETY.

Was Prominent in Engineering the Esmeralda Deal—Kansas City People Who Paid in Money Anxious to Locate Him.

(Special to Review.)

Douglas, Nov. 14.—There is an ugly rumor afloat in this city to the effect that Charles Hanson, who was engineering the Esmeralda deal, has swindled the stockholders and his backers. His present whereabouts are unknown, and a number of people are anxious to see him and get an accounting of the use the funds were put to. The Kansas City people who paid in money on the proposition are reported to be anxious to locate Hanson, as well as the Douglas people who were interested in the deal.

It is well known that Mr. Hanson has been very ill lately, and a second operation was necessary to save his life, and his friends are hoping that he will return and give an account of his actions that will clear him of embezzlement.

Congress of Irrigationists

WILL OPEN TODAY AT EL PASO. MANY DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

Have Already Arrived on Scene—Hall Decorated With Colors of United States and Mexico—Latter Republic Well Represented.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 14.—In a hall, the decorations of which are the national colors of the United States and Mexico, the Twelfth National Irrigation Congress will be called to order at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, a band sent as a special compliment to the convention by President Diaz rendering music.

Secretary of Agriculture of Mexico, Roberto Cayol, is here as President Diaz's special representative, and fifty other Mexican delegates are also present, making the meeting one of international importance.

Most of the officers of the congress are here, and many distinguished visitors are expected to be present.

California is well represented, and has a magnificent fruit display. The engineers of the United States reclamation survey opened their session this morning. They are discussing various enterprises now under survey or construction in the arid west, and will join the Irrigation Congress in its sessions later.

Found Guilty—The Mexican who changed his plea in the Miller assault case Saturday was found guilty by Judge McDonald yesterday and given forty days on the chain gang.

Quartette Will Sing—During the course of the supper to be given by St. John's Guild this evening at Library Hall a male quartette will sing. You are invited to attend.

To Chain Gang—Three Mexicans arrested for being drunk and disorderly Sunday were before Judge McDonald yesterday. Two got nine days each and the third paid a \$5 fine.

Hon. B. A. Packard, of Naco, left yesterday for a business visit at Tucson.

Freight Between Mexico and U. S.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICS AS ISSUED BY THE REPUBLIC OF MEXICO.

Number of Cars and Their Tonnage, Shipped Into This Country and Shipped Out to the Sister Republic in the Last Few Years.

The statistics, published by the treasury department of Mexico, of freight carried by railroad across the Rio Grande frontier at Ciudad Juarez, Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, Laredo and Nogales, shows the total traffic, both ways, between Mexico and the United States during the fiscal years from 1898 to 1903 is as follows:

	Cars.	Tons.
1898-1899	47,811	756,251
1899-1900	72,093	888,593
1900-1901	58,997	759,350
1901-1902	51,437	627,925
1902-1903	55,116	902,472

Total 286,424 3,933,611

The number of cars entering Mexico during the five years and six months from July 1, 1898, to December 31, 1903, numbered 214,002; while 191,387 cars returned to United States, apparently leaving 12,615 cars now in Mexico, less those destroyed. The tonnage of merchandise moved is as follows:

3,277,706 tons entered Mexico;
1,153,216 tons exported from Mexico;
or
2,124,490 tons of freight imported in excess of the tonnage exported.

CANANEA ROAD SURVEY.

(Special to Review.)

Douglas, Nov. 14.—The Cananea road survey is now being made miles east of Agua Prieta. The line runs due east down Calle Zarayosa and heads directly for the Nigger Head mountains, so plainly seen from this city. The survey is being made to San Bernardino and from there to Casa Grandes. The surveyors expect to break camp in Agua Prieta in less than a week and move eastward to the line limit given in the concession.

The grade from Agua Prieta to San Jose station is less than two per cent, which is much less than the grade that is now used out of Naco. From sources that are regarded authentic comes the statement that the road from Agua Prieta to San Jose will be in operation within less than twelve months. The Greene company needs the road and when they want anything they generally get it.

RYAN DEFEATS MELLODY.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Billy Melody, of Boston, the white waler weight champion of America, lost his title tonight to Buddy Ryan, of Chicago. The men met at Harlem Athletic Club for a bout of ten rounds, but Melody was knocked out after two minutes of fighting.

Stole Shoes—A Mexican who was waiting for a companion in the American shoe store yesterday utilized his time by putting a pair of shoes under his coat. The proprietor discovered the loss immediately after departure of the Mexicans. He at once notified the officers, who caught the men within a few blocks. The one who had the shoes got forty days from Judge McDonald.

Copper Queen Arrivals—W. K. Moore and Mr. S. W. French and wife, Douglas; Geo. E. Fischer, Milwaukee; Frank Inlett, Globe; L. R. Robinson and wife, New York; Mrs. B. Bumler and wife, M. W. O'Brien, La Cananea; Geo. Shibley, Douglas; J. W. Dean, El Paso; Jno. J. Holland, Chicago; E. P. Nelson, G. M. Whirter and sister, Santa Fe.

THE HEAVIEST IN MANY YEARS

PARALYZED BUSINESS IN THE EAST, AND MADE GENERAL TROUBLE.

HEAVY SNOW AND RAIN

Wires and Poles to Earth—Railroads Heavy Sufferers—Shipping Along Coast Damaged—Trolley Lines Put Out of Commission.

New York, Nov. 14.—A storm which swept up through the Atlantic coast started from the Gulf yesterday, and last night developing into a gale of hurricane force as it moved northward, resulted in the most complete tie-up of wire communication that the Eastern States has experienced since the memorable snow storm in 1888, disarranged train schedules, paralyzed trolley lines and piled several wrecks along the coast.

The downpour of rain and heavy snow which accompanied the storm added to the destructive force of the gale. Telephone and telegraph poles, borne down by the weight of snow and ice encrusted on the wires, gave way before the sweep of the wind, and whole sections of the country were cut off.

The big brokerage concerns in Wall street, many of whom operate thousands of miles of wire, today found themselves practically helpless.

The exchanges were no more fortunate, and the only quotations received from the Chicago and New Orleans markets were those of the Associated Press. These quotations were the only figures obtained in this city from the cotton and grain centers of the South and West.

The general breaking down of the wires was almost entirely responsible for the trouble on the railroads. The movements of trains could not be reported, and delays extending into hours in many cases were reported.

That no more disastrous results followed the gale probably was due to the early warning of approaching hurricane sent out by the weather bureau.

At New York's Capital.

Albany, Nov. 14.—Wet snow that fell today broke down every telephone and every telegraph wire in this city and vicinity. At 1 o'clock last night more than half the city was in darkness from interrupted light circuits. Snow was so heavy that trolley traffic was greatly hampered, and trains entering the city averaged one hour late. It is the worst blockade the city has experienced since the storm of 1888.

WANT HIM RETAINED.

Petition Circulated Asking That Agent Lancaster Be Kept in Naco.

A petition was in circulation in this community this week asking for the retention at Naco of Agent J. W. Lancaster of the Wells, Fargo Express Co., who, it is reported, is to be transferred to another point, says the Naco Budget. The petition is addressed to T. A. Woods, Superintendent of the company, with headquarters at San Francisco.

The petition was generally signed by business men and others, who feel that a distinct loss would be suffered by the community in the departure of Mr. Lancaster. He has shown an interest in serving the public, in this respect in marked contrast to some other agents of the company stationed here, notably his immediate predecessor, W. G. Lewis, who devoted his spare time to "roasting" the town and every one in it, and no doubt cost the company more or less business.

Mr. Lancaster has shown a disposition to serve the public, as well as the company, to the consequent benefit of both, and his service is appreciated. It is to be hoped he will be retained here.

THE REVIEW'S ENTERPRISE.

The enterprise of the Bisbee Review in putting on a special train to circulate the post-election issue of the paper among the towns along the El Paso & Southwestern, deserves recognition. This is common enough back east, where the patronage is heavy enough to reward the newspaper for the added expense, but in this sparsely settled country gets for its extra enterprise an enhanced reputation for progressiveness and push. Hence the more credit to the Review.—Budget.